

Iredell County

Highlights from the 2022 NCACC Map Book



Demographics

2022 population	194,835
Projected change over next 20 years	39%
2042 population projection	271,595
2022 Population Facts	County NC Rank¹
Median Age	42.0 39.6 60
Population Under 18	20% 21% 52
Population Age 65+	17% 18% 83
Veterans	5% 6% 85



Health and Wellbeing

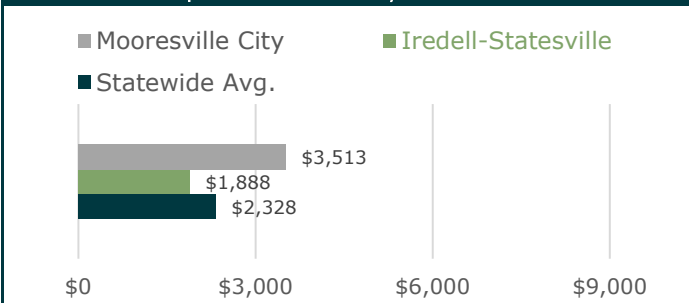
21% of residents are covered by Medicaid.(4)	13% of residents under 65 are uninsured.(2)	12% of households are food insecure.(3)
32 residents died from opioid poisoning in 2020.	29,102 residents were prescribed opioids in 2020.	



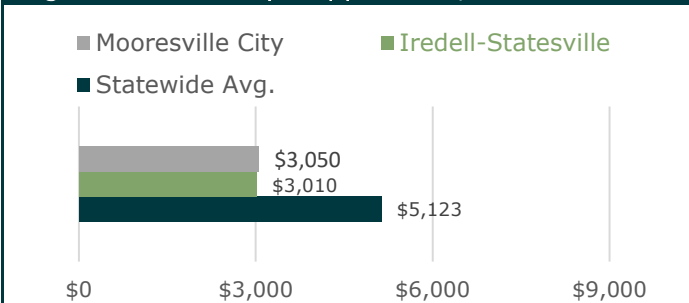
Education

39% of eligible children are enrolled in Pre-K.(4)	49% of adults 25-44 hold a post-secondary degree or credential. (5)	13% of residents age 16-24 are not in school or working.(2)
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Local K-12 \$ Per Student, FY 2020-21



Avg Teacher Salary Supplement, FY 2021-22



Economy and Taxes

	County	NC	Rank ¹
Income			
Per Capita Income (3)	\$56,201	\$50,305	7
Average Weekly Wage (4)	\$1,157	\$1,146	5
Children in Poverty (3)	14%	18%	89
Employment			
Unemployment Rate (May 2022)	3.4%	3.5%	63
Employed residents whose job is within the county (3)	69%	71%	33
Employed residents who commute by driving alone (3)	80%	71%	74
Access to Technology			
Households with broadband or satellite internet access (3)	79%	76%	14
Households with access to a computing device (3)	92%	91%	17
Local Taxes, FY 2021-22			
Property Tax Rate	0.5375	0.6072	83
Taxable property per capita (in thousands of dollars)	\$145.9	\$131.1	25
Property tax levy per capita	\$784	\$822	41
Sales tax rate (State + local)	6.75%	-	-

Notes: (1) A rank of 1 indicates the highest level or rate Statewide; a rank of 100 represents the lowest. (2) 2019 data; (3) 2020 data; (4) 2021 data; (5) 2018 data. For full notes and sources, or to download the Map Book or this fact sheet, visit www.ncacc.com/mapbook.